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TELEPHONE FACILITY IN MAHARASHTRA
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of applications for telephone connections pending with telephone exchange in Nandurbar, Dhule and Jalgaon district of Maharashtra as on March 31, 2002; and

(b) the times by which the applicants in the waiting list are likely to be provided telephone connections?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SIKDAR)

(a) The pending applications for telephone connections as on 31.3.2002 in Nandurbar, Dhule and Jalgaon districts are as under :

S. NO.	DISTRICT	WAITING LIST
1.	Nandurbar	968
2.	Dhule	3067
3.	Jalgaon	4295
TOTAL		8330

(b) These wait listed applicants are likely to be provided telephone connections progressively by March, 2003 except for some long distance connections.